

TO-DAY THEIR ANNUAL SHOW.

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Missing, but
es Will

RIES IN ALL.

ing Classes Are
1; the Thor-
Is Weak.

lyan.

acm stud, Mantje, who was in train-

his year.

is a relief to turn to the harness

es with their overflying entries of

quality. Here the competition con-

ferences. The list of exhibitors

all the well-known names, with

sporadic exceptions as that of Mr.

Belmont, and many new ones. In

tem and four-in-hand classes the

rs will be Messrs. F. C. Stevens,

audonine, Eben D. Jordan, of Bos-

ington H. Salmon, Thomas M. Hill-

Sutton, Teller, Louis W. Wormser,

erman, H. Payne Whitney, George

is, Edwin H. Weatherbee, W. L.

C. F. Bates, John S. Bratton,

Gagmon, J. Dickman Brown, and

hur.

the four-in-hands to be exhibited

it excite greater interest among

es than the four big imported

es that Mr. Aurel Batonyi will drive

Stevens. This will be the first time

a team to be exhibited in this

y, and if they do as well as many

they will furnish a complete vindic-

for the hackney, as showing that if

horses are given enough time and

with as much care as has been de-

o the transfiguration of the trot-

to the high-stepper they can at least

be their own.

Stevens' leaders are Sir Walter and

bert, 15.2, hands, and full brothers,

is wheelers are Marlborough and

ere, standing 16 hands. These

will be shown as a four, in tandem

s. In every class they will prove

ing features if they come up to

ious, but it is of their showing as

a-hand that the most decided hopes

be entertained.

Many Harness Horses.

list of exhibitors in the single har-

nd pair classes is a long one. In-

it is the name of John Robinson,

England. Mr. Robinson is an

Yorkshire man who has never be-

en in this country, but seeing a

old here has come over with his

show at Madison Square Garden.

orses are of the hackney breed and

s one would expect in a man hall-

in his county. They are a brown

Mayflower, and a roan gelding,

ent. They are not large horses,

standing 14.3 hands. Amusement

shown both in the stepping classes

er saddle.

ig the exhibitors will be Commodore

to T. Gerry, Mrs. Francis Lee Mor-

ous W. Wormser, F. C. Stevens, E.

an, H. Irving Brokaw, W. L. Elkins,

J. Jacob Trappert, Jr., J. C. Clinch

C. F. Bates, John S. Bratton, George

ne, Frederick G. Bourne, George S.

Joseph E. Widener, A. J. Nutting,

Clark, James Stillman, R. P. Car-

Mrs. T. Sutton Teller and Harry

Whitney.

talk in horse circles is at present

of "Dick" Carman is going to do

rs with his horse, A Stranger in

ork, whose name by the way needs

of chopping. The sharp pronoun-

wonder, and some go so far as to

be board in the classes for which he

able.

Carman is also represented by Wal-

am, whom he secured at a bargain for

at the recent sale of the Belmont

s. There are few showier horses in a

an Walsingham, and in spite of the

atively small price he brought he is

to score high honors for his new

Mr. Carman will have plenty of op-

and of the strongest kind. Hurl-

Walsingham's former stable mate,

in the stable of Mr. James Stillman

ll also do some can pounding in the

t of his new owner.

"Fatty" Bates's Show.

by Bates will, of course, have his

ing string of exhibits. Professional

as Mr. Bates is, it is hard to see

how the show would ever get along without

him. Not only is he always the cynosure

of all eyes, but many of the classes would

be lightly filled without him.

From Mr. Bates's stable will come the

redoubtable Coxy, the gray horse Actor,

The Whirl of the Town, Amazon, Glad

Hand, The Geeser, May Rose, Mayflower

and a new Actress, who is a chestnut and

not a gray, like the first of the name.

Coxy will have the show ring battle of

his life in the contest for the magnificent

\$500 Waldorf-Astoria Cup, offered for the

best gig horse. Seventeen are entered, in-

cluding besides Coxy, A Stranger in New

York, McKenly, Walsingham, Sir Walter

and Silver King. If Coxy is not as near

the perfection of a gig horse as the judges

are able to find in the class, they will have

to find some wonderful talent in the ring.

In the champion harness class at Long

Branch last summer many were inclined

to think that Leader the Scotchman, then

owned by John Arthur, should have beaten

Coxy, principally because when stripped

he seemed to outpoint the smaller horse,

but in a class specifically for gig horses it

will take a wonderful horse to beat Char-

ley Bates's old favorite.

Leader the Scotchman, by the way, is

another absentee from the show, though it

is a wonder that Mr. Eben D. Jordan,

of Boston, who paid \$4,200 for him on the

same day as Mr. Belmont's horses were

sold, did not enter him.

Commodore Gerry's principal nomination

is Starlight. Colonel Ruppert will probably

do considerable driving behind his very

smart stepper Firefly. Louis W. Wormser

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